REMARKS

Claims 1, 4, 6, 10-12, and 14-24 are currently pending in the present application. Claims 1, 6, 11, and 14-18 have been amended. Support for the amendments can be found in the specification at least on page 3, lines 18-20, and 29-30, page 5, lines 23-25, and page 9, lines 11-12. No new matter has been added. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the present application based on the amendments to the Claims and the following remarks.

Telephonic Interview

Applicant thanks the Examiner, Asghar Bilgrami, for the courtesies extended to Applicant's attorneys Robert Summers (reg. no. 57,844) and Sanders N. Hillis (reg. no. 45,712), during the telephonic interview that took place on April 12, 2007. During the interview, the 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph rejection of Claim 15 was discussed. In addition, Claims 1, 4, 6, 11, 15, and 17 and (U.S. Patent Publication No. 2002/0161928 A1) were discussed. Although no agreement was reached, the Examiner proposed some possible amendments to Claim 15. In addition, various features of the pending claims were discussed in view of the cited references.

I.   Rejections Under 35 U.S.C. § 112 first paragraph

Claim 15 has been rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph, for failing to comply with the enablement requirement. The Advisory Action indicates that the applicant's specification does not disclose how the whole of each of the said first viewable segment or said second viewable segment is viewable at the same time in said display. Advisory Action at p. 2.

The Applicant traverse this rejection, since claim 15, as amended, recites "wherein said proxy server is configured to divide said mark-up language file into a first viewable segment and a second viewable segment, said first viewable segment and said second viewable segment each being sized to fit within a display of said wireless communication device so that a whole of said first viewable segment or said second viewable segment is viewable in said display." As discussed during the telephonic interview, Applicant has amended claim 15 to make clear that claim 15 does not

describe segments that are "viewable at the same time in the said display." Thus, Applicant respectfully asserts that the limitations of Claim 15 do comply with the enablement requirement, and respectfully requests withdrawal of the 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph rejection of claim 15.

II.   Rejections Under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a)

Claims 1, 4, 6, 10-12, 14-24 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Ollikainen (U.S. Patent Publication No. 2003/0074475 A1) in view of Ndili (U.S. Patent Publication No. 2002/0161928 A1). In view of the reasons noted below, these rejections are respectfully traversed.

<u>Claims 1, 4 and 14</u>

With respect to independent claim 1, the Final Office Action asserts that Ollikainen as modified by Ndili teaches or suggests that a "proxy server is configured to transmit said first viewable segment and said navigation aid in response to said request." Final Office Action at page 3. To the contrary, Ollikainen fails to describe such limitations as acknowledged in the Final Office Action at pp. 3-4.

Also, Applicant traverses this rejection since Ndili, even in combination with Ollikainen, does not teach or suggest the limitations of amended claim 1 which recites, for example, "said proxy server further configured to communicate with said wireless communication device, and said wireless communication device is configured to generate a menu that includes a plurality of menu items that are selectable with a user input device included in said wireless communication device in response to said communication, wherein said request received from said wireless communication device is generated in response to selection of a menu item from among said menu items."

Ndili is generally directed to a device for delivering content to a mobile device from a network site where the system converts the network content into a wireless mark-up language and/or protocol for the mobile device. See Ndili, p. 1, ¶ 0009, and p. 2, ¶ 0040. Ndili describes "a programmable agent that implements conversion modules for exchanging communications between a mobile device and a network. The

conversion modules may be used to make characteristics of a mobile device conform with characteristics of the network site being requested, where differences in the characteristics would otherwise preclude communications between the mobile device and the network site." Ndili at ¶ 0117. Ndili further describes "conversion modules that convert the communication protocol, programming and mark-up language, and/or natural language format of communications exchanged between the mobile device and the network." Ndili at ¶ 0117. Ndili does not teach or suggest a wireless communication system configured to generate a menu displayed on a wireless communication device when the wireless communication device is in communication with a proxy server, and transmit a viewable segment and navigation aid to the wireless communication device in response to a selection of a menu item from the menu.

Thus, in contrast to claim 1, neither Ndili nor Ollikainen, alone or in combination, describe a wireless communication system that includes a wireless communication device configured to generate a menu in response to the wireless communication device in communication with a proxy server, processes a request for a mark-up language file, divides the mark-up language file into viewable segments, and transmits a navigation aid with a viewable segment from the divided mark-up language file to the wireless communication device. Claim 1, in clear contrast to Ndili and Ollikainen, describes such a wireless communication system.

For at least the reasons stated above, the combination of the cited references does not describe the limitations of independent claim 1, from which dependent claims 4 and 14 depend. Therefore, claims 1, 4 and 14 are patentable over the cited references. Applicant respectfully urges that an indication of allowability for claims 1, 4 and 14 be provided.

Claims 6, 10, 23 and 24

With respect to independent claim 6, the Final Office Action asserts that Ollikainen as modified by Ndili teaches or suggests that a "proxy server is configured to transmit said first viewable segment and said navigation aid in response to said request." Claim 6 describes a method of "generating a menu with a wireless communication device, wherein said menu includes a plurality of menu items selectable

with an input device included in said wireless communication device, wherein said menu is displayable only when said wireless communication device is in communication with a proxy server; selecting a menu item from said menu items with said input device; [and] generating an encoded request from said selected menu item." As previously discussed, Ndili, even in combination with Ollikainen, does not teach or suggest generating a menu with a wireless communication device and displaying the menu only when the wireless communication device is in communication with a proxy server, selecting a menu item from the menu with a user input device, and transmitting a viewable segment and a navigation aid to the wireless communication device.

Therefore, the combination of Ndili and Ollikainen does not disclose the limitations of independent claim 6, from which dependent claims 10, 23, and 24 depend. Hence, claims 6, 10, 23 and 24 are patentable over the cited references.

Claims 11, 12 and 19

Claim 11 describes a "means for generating a menu that includes a plurality of menu items, wherein said menu is displayable only when said wireless communication device is in communication with a proxy server, wherein a menu item is selectable from said menu items; said means for generating further configured to generate an encoded request in response to selection of said menu item." In contrast to claim 11, as previously discussed the Ndili and Ollikainen combination does not teach or suggest a means for generating a menu, displaying the menu only when the wireless communication device is in communication with a proxy server, and transmitting a viewable segment and a navigation aid to the wireless communication device. Therefore, the combination of Ndili and Ollikainen does not disclose the limitations of independent claim 11, from which dependent claims 12 and 19 depend. Hence, claims 11, 12 and 19 are patentable over the cited references.

Claims 15 and 20

Independent claim 15 describes a system "said wireless communication device is configured to generate a menu that includes a plurality of menu items selectable with a user input device included in said wireless communication device, said menu is displayed when said wireless communication device is in communication with

said proxy server, wherein said wireless communication device is configured to generate a request from a menu item selectable from said menu." In contrast to the limitations of claim 15, the Ndili and Ollikainen combination does not teach or suggest a wireless communication system configured to generate a menu that is displayed when a wireless communication device is in communication with a proxy server, and transmit a navigation aid and a viewable segment to the wireless communication device, as previously discussed.

For at least the reasons stated above, the combination of the cited references does not describe the limitations of independent claim 15, from which dependent claim 20 depends. Therefore, claims 15 and 20 are patentable over the cited references.

Claims 16, 21 and 22

Claim 16 describes a method of "generating a menu with a wireless communication device, wherein said menu includes a plurality of menu items selectable with an input device included in said wireless communication device, wherein said menu is displayable only when said wireless communication device is in communication with a proxy server; selecting a menu item from said menu items with said input device; [and] generating a request from said selected menu item."

In contrast to claim 16, neither Ndili nor Ollikainen describe a method of generating a menu with a wireless communication device and displaying the menu only when the wireless communication device is in communication with a proxy server, and transmitting a navigation aid and a viewable segment to the wireless communication device. Therefore, the combination of Ndili and Ollikainen does not teach or suggest the limitations of independent claim 16, from which dependent claims 21 and 22 depend. Hence, claims 16, 21 and 22 are patentable over the cited references.

Claims 17 and 18

Independent 17 describes a method of "generating a menu with a wireless communication device, wherein said menu includes a plurality of menu items selectable with an input device included in said wireless communication device, wherein said menu is displayable only when said wireless communication device is in communication with a

proxy server; selecting a menu item from said menu items with said input device; [and] generating a request for a mark-up language file from said selected menu item." In contrast to claim 17, Ndili and Ollikainen alone, or in combination, do not teach or suggest generating a menu with a wireless communication device, displaying the menu on the wireless communication device only when the wireless communication device is in communication with a proxy server, and transmitting a navigation aid and a viewable segment to the wireless communication device, as described in claim 17.

For at least the reasons stated above, the combination of references does not teach or suggest the limitations of independent claim 17, from which dependent claim 18 depends. Therefore, claims 17 and 18 are patentable over the cited references.
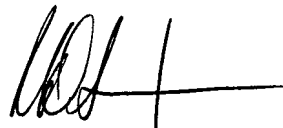
For at least the previously discussed reasons, the combination of Ollikainen in view of Ndili does not teach or suggest each and every recited limitation, and independent claims 1, 6, 11, and 15-17 are allowable. Dependent claims 4, 10, 12, 14, and 18-24 are also allowable for at least the same reasons. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that the claim rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) be withdrawn.

Conclusion

In view of the above remarks, Applicant respectfully submits that this application is in condition for allowance and such action is earnestly requested. If for any reason the Application is not allowable, the examiner is requested to contact the Applicant's undersigned attorney at (312) 321-4200.

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